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SUBJECT: ARAB LEAGUE DROUGHT RELIEF DONATION

1. SUMMARY: OULD DADDAH ANNOUNCED NOVEMBER 4A GIFT OF EIGHTEEN MILLION DOLLARS TO MAURITANIA FROM "CERTAIN ARAB LEAGUE MEMBERS" FOR DROUGHT RELIEF, AND DOLS 200 MILLION IN ARAB OIL AID TO BLACK AFRICA FOR CY1975.

2. FOLLOWING HIS RETURN FROM ARAB LEAGUE CONCLAVE IN RABAT AND SHORT VISIT ALGERIA, PRESIDENT OULD DADDAH HELD AIRPORT PRESS CONF NOVEMBER 4. AS REPORTED IN NOUAKCHOTT INFORMATION, PRESIDENT SAID: A) "CERTAIN," UNSPECIFIED, ARAB LEAGUE MEMBERS HAD DONATED DOLS 18 MILLION TO MAURITANIA AND DOLS 18 MILLION TO SOMALIA FOR DROUGHT RELIEF; B) THE VOTE GIVING ARAB LEAGUE RECOGNITION TO THE PLO AS REPRESENTING THE PEOPLE OF OCCUPIED JORDAN ("CISJORDANIE") WAS UNANIMOUS AND INCLUDED KING HUSHIN; C) THE ARAB LEAGUE SUMMIT "FACILITATED" AGREEMENT BETWEEN MOROCCO AND MAURITANIA IN THEIR EFFORT TO FORCE SPAIN OUT OF THE SPANISH SAHARA. MAURITANIA BACKS MOROCCO'S

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DEMAND FOR AN ICJ ADVISORY OPINION ON CONFLICTING CLAIMS TO

THE TERRITORY, BUT CONTINUES TO LOOK TOWARD THE UNITED NATIONS FOR  
A SOLUTION TO THE SAHARA QUESTION IN  
THE CONTEXT OF PREVIOUS UNGA RESOLUTIONS. E) FINALLY,  
THE PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED THAT ARAB OIL PRODS HAD  
ALLOCATED DOLS 200 MILLION FOR CY1975 DEVELOPMENT AID  
AFRICAN STATES. SHURTLEFF

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